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Hopkins, George P.

Adjutant General

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League of Bremen
VOLUNTEER ENLISTMENT.

STATE OF



TOWN OF

I, George P Hopkins born in Boston
in the State of Massachusetts aged Twenty one years,
and by occupation a Farmer Do HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE to have
volunteered this Eleventh day of October 1864,
to serve as a Soldier in the Army of the United States of America, for the period
of Three Years unless sooner discharged by proper authority : Do also
agree to accept such bounty, pay, rations, and clothing, as are, or may be, estab-
lished by law for volunteers. And I, George P Hopkins do
solemnly swear, that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the United States
of America, and that I will serve them honestly and faithfully against all their
enemies or opposers whomsoever ; and that I will observe and obey the orders of
the President of the United States, and the orders of the officers appointed over
me, according to the Rules and Articles of War.

Sworn and subscribed to, at Augusta
this 11th day of October 1864. } George ^{his} Hopkins
BEFORE Edw. Marshall } Mark
Capt & Provost Marshal } of District of Maine

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, That I have carefully examined the above named Volunteer, agreeably to the General Regulations of the Army, and that in my opinion he is free from all bodily defects and mental infirmity, which would, in any way, disqualify him from performing the duties of a soldier.

3d District of Maine
 EXAMINING SURGEON.

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, That I have minutely inspected the Volunteer, George W
previously to his enlistment, and that he was entirely sober when enlisted; that, to the best
of my judgment and belief, he is of lawful age; and that, in accepting him as duly qualified
to perform the duties of an able-bodied soldier, I have strictly observed the Regulations
which govern the recruiting service. This soldier has Black Eyes, Black Hair,
Black COMPLEXION, is 5 FEET 6 INCHES high.

Regiment of

Volunteers.

RECRUITING OFFICER

Cap^t & Provost Marshall
2d District of Ariz.

NOTE.—The Recruiting Officer will here enter the soldier's residence, and state whether married or single.

This soldier is a resident of

and is * *W. B. Wood*

Mustered into the service of the United States, in Company the day of 186 , at

Regiment of Volunteers, and

Note 1.—This blank will be used for both enlistments and re-enlistments—enlistment of veterans, &c., &c., in the volunteer service. They will be made out in triplicate in all cases—one to accompany the recruiting return of the superintendent (not the recruiting officer) to the Adjutant General of the Army, one to accompany the accounts of the officer who pays bounty, and one for the Adjutant General of the State. The Regiment and Company in which the soldier last served should be given on the back.

Note 2.—An enlistment holds to service. A muster-in must, in all cases, precede payment of pay, bounty, pension, &c. A muster-in roll must, in all cases, be filed in the Adjutant General's Office as evidence of muster-in. The mustering officer, commissary, or assistant commissary of musters, as the case may be, will countersign all the enlistments as having mustered the soldier into the service of the United States before either of them is given to the disbursing officer.

DECLARATION OF RECRUIT.

I, George O. Hopkins desiring to VOLUNTEER as a soldier in the ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES, for the term of three years DO DECLARE, That I am twenty one years and three months of age; that I have never been discharged from the United States service on account of disability or by sentence of a court-martial, or by order before the expiration of a term of enlistment: and I know of no impediment to my serving honestly and faithfully as a soldier for

three years

GIVEN at Augusta the Eleventh

day of October 1864

Witness:

Wm. P. Keene

George O. Hopkins his man

Discharged

1862

Regiment of

1st enlistment; last served in Co. (B)

Enlist May 20 1864 at mustering

54th Regiment of Infantry

By Adjt. G. O. Hopkins Mustering Officer

Volunteered at

Augusta Ga

October 11th 1864

No.

723

Hopkins George O.

CONSENT IN CASE OF MINOR.

I, _____ Do CERTIFY, That I am the _____ of _____; that the said _____ is _____ years of age; and do hereby freely give my CONSENT to his volunteering as a SOLDIER in the ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES for the period of _____

GIVEN at _____ the _____

day of _____ 1864

Witness: